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James P. O'Hara
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1955
Education: Nebraska 1977 BA; Creighton 1980 JD
Began Service: April 17, 2000
Term Expires: April 16, 2016

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Robert V. Denney, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska (1980-1981); Law Clerk The Honorable C. Arlen Beam, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska (1982)

Legal Practice: Shughart, Thomson & Kilroy, PC (1982-2000)

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K. Gary Sebelius
Magistrate Judge

Education: Georgetown 1974 JD
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Term Expires: February 21, 2019

Staff

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Kenneth G. Gale
Magistrate Judge

Education: Washburn 1980 JD
Began Service: August 2, 2010
Term Expires: August 1, 2018

Staff

Career Law Clerk **Dwight Fisher** (316) 315-4380
Education: Drake 1992 BA; Kansas 1995 JD
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Donald W. Bostwick
Magistrate Judge (recalled)

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Kansas 1965 BS, 1968 JD
Began Service: July 22, 1999
Term Expires: July 21, 2015

Legal Practice: Adams, Jones, Robinson & Malone (1968-1999)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Kansas Bar Association; Kansas Bar Foundation, Kansas Bar Association; Wichita Bar Association

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Number of Judgeships: 4

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Robert E. Nugent
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1955
Education: Kansas 1980 JD
Began Service: June 14, 2000
Term Expires: June 13, 2014

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Robert E. Nugent, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Tenth Circuit

Staff

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Janice Miller Karlin
Bankruptcy Judge

Education: Kansas 1975 BA, 1980 JD
Began Service: October 17, 2002
Term Expires: October 16, 2016



Government: Assistant U.S. Attorney, Kansas District, United States Department of Justice (1980-2002)

Staff

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Dale L. Somers
Bankruptcy Judge

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Robert D. Berger
Bankruptcy Judge

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Number of Judgeships: 6

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Jennifer B. Coffman
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
Education: Kentucky 1969 BA, 1971 MSLS,
1978 JD
Began Service: October 22, 1993
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



Affiliation: District Judge, Chambers of District Judge Jennifer B. Coffman, United States District Court for the Western District of Kentucky

Legal Practice: Attorney, Law Offices of Arthur L. Brooks (1977-1982); Attorney, Brooks, Coffman & Fitzpatrick (1982-1992); Attorney, Newberry, Hargrove & Rambicure, P.S.C. (1992-1993)

Current Memberships: Fayette County Bar Association; Kentucky Bar Association

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